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PATENT APPLICATION
(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number	1108JW-60654
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I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

WATER-SAVING SHOWER HEAD WHICH OPERATES AT LOW AND HIGH PRESSURE

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

 is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 01/16/2004 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number PCT/MX2004/000002 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

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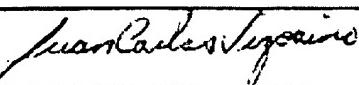
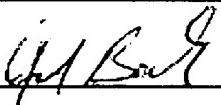
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Supplemental Sheet**

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**ASSERTION OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)**

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.27(c)(2)(i), the undersigned hereby asserts that **Ruben Arturo MUNOZ HUERTA, Juan Carlos VIZCAINO CERVANTES, and Arturo BARRERA ECHAURI** are persons as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(a)(1) and are entitled to small entity status for purposes of paying reduced fees under Section 41 (a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the subject invention.

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